

# **Truth and Reconciliation**

## **Elements:**

### **Impact, Social Justice, Process, Future**

**Exploration/Exploitation/Settlement Encounters**  
**Colonization on Unceded Lands**  
**Misappropriation/Exploitation**  
**Conflict/Unregulated Combat/Being Fired On**  
**Intentional/Unintentional Spread of Fatal Disease**  
**Dramatic Population Decline**  
**Treaties/Broken Treaties/Relationship with Crown**  
**Formation of Country/Provinces on Unceded Lands**  
**Government Policy/ Law – Indian Act**  
**Suffrage/Franchise**  
**Indian Status/Tutelage**  
**Reserve System**  
**Displacement and Relocation**  
**Residential School**  
**Sixties Scoop/Apprehension of Children**  
**Loss of Status/Rights**  
**Justice System/Incarceration/Institutionalization**  
**Involuntary Experimentation/Sterilization**  
**Murdered and Missing People**  
**Inadequate Funding/Infrastructure/Services**  
**Land Claims**  
**UN Declarations**  
    **Of Human Rights**  
    **Of the Rights of the Child**  
    **On Rights of Indigenous Peoples**  
**Canadian Charter of Rights**  
**Representation and Participation**  
**Jurisdiction**  
    **- self-determination, self-governance, self-policing**  
    **education, lands and waterways**  
**Inclusion/Duty to Consult**  
**Ownership and Access to Resources**  
**Business/Economic Compensation**  
**Equity and Inclusion**  
**Child, Family and Elder Preservation/Welfare**  
**Health, Housing, Social Services/First Response**  
**Education – access and curriculum content**  
**Language and Culture**  
**Youth/Sports/Recreation**  
**Museums, Archives and Collections/Repatriation**  
**Newcomers**

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## **Testimony of:**

Racism/Discrimination  
Kidnapping/Separation from Family  
Intimidation/Shaming/Extortion/Exploitation  
Torture/Confinement  
Genocide/ Apartheid  
Oppression  
Displacement and Isolation  
Desecration/Vandalism/Theft  
Interruption of Way of Life  
Self-Harm/Suicide  
Disappearance  
Assault (Bodily Harm/Sexual)  
Permanent Injury/Mutilation  
Murder/Homicide/Death  
Trauma/Post Traumatic Stress  
Trans-generational Trauma  
Aboriginal Lateral Violence  
Domestic Violence  
Alcohol & Substance Abuse  
Addiction  
Poverty  
Starvation/Malnutrition  
Homelessness/Inadequate Housing  
No Fire Protection or Fire Fighting Equipment  
Poor, Poisoned, or No Water  
Damage to Environment/Natural Resource  
Unemployment  
Disease/Poor Health/Mental Illness  
Brain Damage  
Learning Disorders  
Neglect  
Physical Abuse  
Sexual Abuse  
Emotional/Psychological Abuse  
Loss of Language  
Loss of Culture  
Loss of Identity/Rights/Autonomy  
Loss of Property/Artifacts  
Loss of Home/Food/Resources  
Lack of Services/Transportation  
Inadequate/Incomplete Education  
Inadequate Funding

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## **Complexities:**

**Historical**  
**Relational**  
**Ontological**  
**Epistemological**  
**Axiological**  
**Philosophical**  
**World View**  
**Geographical**  
**Environmental/Ecological**  
**National Identity**  
**Personal Identity**  
**Cultural Identity**  
**Collective Memory**  
**Sense of Place**  
**Legal/Judicial**  
**Jurisdictional**  
**Political**  
**Constitutional**  
**Religious**  
**Institutional**  
**Social**  
**Emotional**  
**Spiritual**  
**Physical/Mental Health**  
**Educational/Pedagogical**  
**Language**  
**Economic**  
**Participation/Autonomy/Sovereignty**  
**Safety**  
**Loss/Trauma**  
**Intergenerational/Trans-generational**  
**Inclusion**  
**Conciliation**  
**Restoration**

